

WHOM DID HE MEET?

Amsterdam, N. Y., Feb. 9.—With the remark: "I've agreed to meet a man and the engagement must be kept, as it will be beneficial to both you and me," Charles Cole a rug weaver, last night bade his wife good-bye, and when a short distance from home took a dose of carbolic acid.

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GILBERT PARKER

At Home—His Study in His London Home is One of Rare Delight

It is on the fourth floor of his beautiful house that I found Mr. Parker in the study, says a writer in a London paper: It seems to be the remotest apartment, but the first room on the ground-level is fitted up as a library, and is a chamber of rare delight, so that the social life is sandwiched between books. How does this reposeful study compare, I wonder, with the room of the associate editor of the Sydney Morning Herald? Was it shirt sleeves and a plain deal desk in those far off days? That is the memory of most hard working editors I have known; but I cannot conceive of Mr. Parker in such condition. He carries an air of dainty notepaper and silver cased blotting pads about him. I cannot imagine him scribbling on ordinary printers copy paper with a blunt pencil and an ink fny waiting for the sheets. Yet his talk of old days is richly reminiscent of traditional journalism, and I suppose these strange things must have happened. I should think the word "sumptuous" is the proper word to apply to the furnishing of this sanctum. It is a word for which Mr. Parker has a peculiar fondness; he was written even of a "sumptuous star." All the appointments are the most choice of their kind, the handsome book shelves, generous writing table, with its massive fustian, artistic paperweights, quaint paper knife, and that silver cased blotter. The walls contain many beautiful and interesting pictures, and over a corner cabinet a bust of Napoleon looks down with lowering brow, a reminder that the man at the desk has been one of the most sympathetic students of "The Little Corporal."

A word to the man himself. Gilbert Parker is a very attractive type of man. Of average height, and well built, he does not seem to belong particularly to any profession. Literary men are seldom so well groomed, lawyers have an affectation for the shaven face, whereas Mr. Parker wears a short, neatly trimmed beard, black, like the hair of his head, and so imparting a swarthy look to the face which otherwise would strike one on the healthy complexion of a man who had spent much of his life in the open. In conversation he has a charming manner, and when speaking in public I have remarked the same easy confident flow of language which characterises his table talk. He ought to become one of the most acceptable speakers in the House of Commons.

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N. RATTENBURY

LORD ROBERTS WAS READY TO STEP OUT

He Offered to Tender His Resignation Over the Recent Hazing in the Grenadier Guards Which His Created so Much Discussion

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The hazing of young officers of the First Grenadier Guards, followed by the retirement of half pay of Colonel Kinloch, commanding the regiment, has attracted much attention. The trouble began in November last with three young officers, Lord Duro, son of the Duke of Wellington, the Master of Belhaven, son of Lord Belhaven, and J. H. Leveson-Gower, son of the late Captain Hugh Leveson-Gower.

During the time that part of the regiment was in South Africa these three officers were left with the other part of the regiment at home. When the senior officers returned they found matters did not go smoothly. These three junior subalterns would not shake themselves into their proper positions. Besides, it is asserted, they refused to enter into any of the amusements and sports of the regiment.

Some of their brother subalterns determined "a stop this rot," and held a sham court-martial. The three offenders who were accused of "belonging to the most noble and respected families in the Kingdom a dot falling to reform themselves as consummate asses," were found guilty and received corporal punishment. They went to their homes and told the tale. The Duke of Wellington, Lord Belhaven and Lord de Saumery, uncle of Mr. Leveson-Gower, met at the house of the last named, and Lord Belhaven draughted a letter to Earl Roberts, in which

Colonel Kinloch was declared to be absolutely unfit to command any regiment, and his dismissal asked.

The direct result of this letter to the Commander in Chief was that Colonel Kinloch received two communications by the same post from Earl Roberts, one private and personal, in which he was exonerated from all blame in the matter, the other an official communication requesting him to send in his papers. Colonel Kinloch was indignant. Two other officers—Colonel Horace Ricardo and Major General Oliphant—went with him to Lord Roberts to fight the matter out. Some very firm language was used on both sides. Colonel Kinloch absolutely refused to send in his papers until he had appealed to a higher authority.

Thereupon he and General Oliphant posted off to lay the matter before the King. His Majesty sent for Earl Roberts and expressed a desire that the demand for the resignation be not pressed. Earl Roberts, it is said, then offered his own resignation, in case Colonel Kinloch was retained in command of the Grenadiers. His Majesty then gave way.

According to the junior subalterns' story, Mr. Leveson-Gower was handed over to the senior subalterns for trial with the knowledge of the commanding officer; the punishments were not ordinary "ragging," but violent assaults, and one of the three was flogged across the bare flesh and collapsed through the loss of blood.

HELPFUL POINTERS.

To have a healthy flock keep but few in a pen. Hens that are cleaned daily rarely needs disinfecting.

Broken eggs in the nest start the fowls to eating them. Eggs cannot be produced without nitrogenous material in some shape.

Chickens that eat the most grit are in the best condition.

Cleanliness about the feeding place should be observed.

If fowls are delicate it is because they have been imbrued and not because they are pure bred.

Feeding a little at a time and often is a better plan than to throw out more than the fowls will eat at once.

To fatten a chicken to the best advantage it must not be allowed its liberty or much of its food will run away.

Finely powdered or slaked lime scattered about the poultry quarters is one of the best preventatives of roup.

THE LAST JOURNEY.

The little traveler set forth With one last smile of sweet content. There are no footprints, south or north, To show us the way she went;

No tiny footprints in the snow, No flower for token backward thrown, "Sweetheart," we wept, "why must you go?"

Smiling, she went her way, alone. The little traveler went her way And left us all who loved her so. She journeyed forth at break of day— A long, long way she had to go.

The stars were paling in the sky— Their kind eyes must have seen her start. We could not see; we could but cry, "Come back to us, dear heart, dear heart!"

The little traveler's tiny feet Have found a path that we must find. She was so little and so sweet! We cannot linger, left behind.

We stumble, seeking, day by day. O little traveler! Who will send A guide to point us out the way To find you at the journey's end?

DESPAIRED OF BEING JURSD. Mrs. W. E. Jerritt, 44 Elcks Ave., Kingston, Ont., states: I suffered acutely with itching piles. In fact, I don't believe that any person who has not had piles can realize what I endured. The first application of Dr. Chase's Ointment brought relief and it has since entirely cured me. I hope that this testimonial will be the means of bringing comfort to other sufferers by making known the great power of this ointment.

COLLEGE AUTO COURSE. New York, February 9.—Columbia University announces a new course on automobile engineering to be given in the near future by Prof. Frederik Ramzen Hutten dean of the school of Applied Science.

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ROBBER, MURDERED, BLOWN TO PIECES. PORTAGE, Pa., Feb. 9.—An explosion of dynamite in the fruit store and home of Tony Pasquello an Italian, to-day completely wrecked the building. Pasquello and his wife were found dead in the ruins. From wounds on their heads they appear to have been robbed and murdered before the explosion. Ten other occupants of the building were injured.

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KRUGER DYING

AMSTERDAM, February 6.—The friends here of Mr. Kruger, the former president of the Transvaal, have received a despatch from Mentone which states that his health is entirely shattered and that the end is not far off. The events of the last six months have so affected Mr. Kruger that his recovery is hopeless.

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ATTENDED PRESIDENT MCKINLEY.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 9.—Dr. Herman Mynter, one of the surgeons who attended President McKinley after his assassination at the Pan-American Exposition, died to-night.

ENTERTAINED AT QUEBEC.

QUEBEC, February 11.—James E. De Wolfe, president of the Halifax board of trade, was entertained by the executive committee of the Trans-Canada railway at lunch today and met some of the business men of Quebec. Mr. De Wolfe has taken an active interest in promoting the Trans-Canada railway.

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SYDNEY, February 11.—A Swede employed at the Steel Works fell from an open hearth furnace, a distance of fifty feet, this afternoon, and received severe injuries which may result in his death. A number of ropes breaking his fall alone saved him.

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Those Pale Girls

How many pale girls there are! Girls who have the will, but not the power to bring out their vitality. Doctors call it anaemia, which means poor blood. They are thin, delicate and nervous. Their digestion is usually poor, the appetite not all that it should be and they do not even get all the nourishment that is in the food that they do eat. They linger between strength and weakness with no certainty as to what change a day will bring forth.

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POPE GIVES AN AUDIENCE.

ROME, Feb. 9.—In spite of his physician's recommendation that he take a rest, the Pope to-day insisted on giving a public demonstration of the fact that the rumors regarding his ill-health were unfounded by receiving in audience Bishop Beavan of Springfield, Mass.

THE POPE HAS WRITTEN A POEM.

ROME, Feb. 9.—The Pope has just completed a poem, which is highly praised by literary people. It is dedicated to a friend whom the Pontiff desired to advise on the best means of prolonging life.

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